

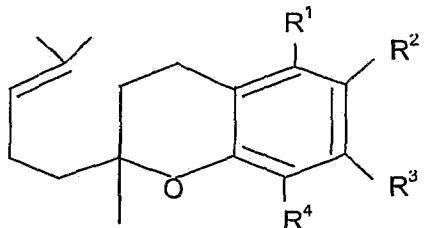
In the Claims

Applicant presents a full set of claims for the convenience of the Examiner. No amendments of the claims have been made.

1-13. (Cancelled)

14. (Previously presented) A method for treating a mood disorder in a human patient, which comprises administering to a patient in need thereof a therapeutically effective amount of at least one compound of the general formula 1

Formula 1



where;

R¹ is OH;

R² is H or COOH;

R³ is C₁-C₈ alkyl group;

and R⁴ is H.

15. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 14 wherein the mood disorder is morbid or clinical depression, unipolar mood disorder, bipolar mood disorder, syndromal depression, panic disorder or anxiety.

16.-17. (Canceled)

18. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 14 wherein the compound of formula 1 is present in an extract of at least one cannabis plant.

19. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 14, wherein the compound or the composition is administered nasally, sublingually, buccally, topically, orally, rectally, intravenously, intra-peritoneally, intra-muscularly, subcutaneously, transdermally, intra-vaginally, intra-urethrally, by nebuliser, as inhaled vapour or by installation directly into the bladder.

20. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 14, wherein R³ is a C1-C5 alkyl group.

21. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 14, wherein R³ is a C3-C5 alkyl group.

22. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 14, wherein R³ is a straight chain alkyl group.

23. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 14, wherein R³ is C₅H₁₁.

24. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 14, wherein R³ is C₃H₇.

25. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 18, wherein the extract comprises substantially all the naturally occurring cannabinoids in said at least one cannabis plant.

26. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 18, wherein the extract is enriched for cannabichromene.

27. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 14, wherein the compound is administered in an isolated and substantially pure form.

28. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 14, wherein the compound is administered together with one or more pharmaceutically acceptable diluents, excipients or carriers.